

**REMARKS**

The claims are being resubmitted in the proper format in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 C.F.R. 1.121).

In view of the foregoing, this application should now be in condition for allowance. A notice to this effect is respectfully requested.

If this response is not considered timely filed and if a request for an extension of time is otherwise absent, Applicants hereby requests any necessary extension of time. If there is a fee occasioned by this response, including an extension fee, that is not covered by an enclosed check, please charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 23/2825.

Respectfully submitted,

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